NEWS RELEASE

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RAMP CLOSURES SCHEDULED FOR PAVING IN VENTURA COUNTY

CITY OF VENTURA (VENTURA COUNTY) - The California Department of Transportation (Caltrans) will close one lane on the northbound Ventura Freeway (US-101), from Johnson Drive to Victoria Avenue, including the Victoria Avenue on and offramps, nightly, Monday through Friday, July 17 through July 21, from 9 p.m. to 5 a.m., due to pavement work.

Closures are weather permitting and subject to change. Deco Paving is the contractor for this \$ 200,000 project. The project will replace damaged pavement and upon completion, will provide a smoother riding surface and extend the life span of the on and off-ramps. The estimated completion date is summer 2006.

Caltrans reminds motorists to "Slow For The Cone Zone."

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